Catholic Parishes of Millbury

St. Brigid & Our Lady of the Assumption

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Lord, help me."

Matthew 15:25

THE CATHOLIC PARISHES OF MILLBURY
ST. BRIGID ✝ OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION

Parish Office

59 Main Street, Millbury, MA 01527
Mon. - Thurs. 8:30 AM to 12:30 PM
(508) 865-6624 • **Fax:** (508) 865-3101
www.stbrigidparish.org

Assumption Parish Phone: (508) 865-2657
www.assumptionmillbury.org

Assumption School

17 Grove St.
Millbury, MA 01527
(508)865-6624
www.assumptionschoolmillbury.org
Julie Olson
Principal

St. Vincent de Paul Society Outreach

774-262-5506

Mass Times

St. Brigid Church
59 Main Street

Sat.: 4:00 PM
Sunday: 7:00 AM and 11:00 AM

Assumption Church
10 Waters Street

Sunday: 9:00 AM

Weekday Mass Times

Daily Masses, Monday-Thursday, for now are at 7 AM at Assumption. See page 10 for new Mass guidelines.

Parish Staff

Clergy

Rev. Daniel R. Mulcahy, Jr.
Pastor

Rev. Mr. Ronald B. Buron
Deacon
Facilities
Safe Environment

Administration

Monica Hamilton
Parish Secretary

Ronald Marlborough
Buildings and Grounds

Pastoral Associates

Sister Jeanne Richard, S.A.S.V.
Pastoral Care Ministry Emerita

Gregory Bernard
Adolescent & Young Adult Faith Formation
Youth Ministry
Communications

Deborah R. Blicharz
Children's Faith Formation
Community Life and Outreach

Claudette Belair
Music Ministry

Sacraments

Baptism

Baptisms are celebrated each month. To prepare for your child's Baptism, parents will attend a preparational session. For more information, or to make arrangements,please call the parish office.

Penance and Reconciliation

Saturdays 3 PM to 3:45 PM
or anytime upon request.

Marriage

Please call the parish office at least one year in advance.

Anointing of the Sick and Communion Calls

Please call the office when a parishioner is confined at home, is in the hospital, or placed in a nursing home or hospice. Holy Communion is brought to shut-ins upon request.

Mass Intentions

Sat., August. 15
4:00 PM **Crystal Dowding, 31st Anniversary**
By: The Prue Family

Sun., August 16
7:00 AM **Albert and Justyna Koziara**
By: The Family
9:00 AM **Bill and Ruth Hobey**
By: The Family
11:00 AM **Matthew Hartline, 7th Anniversary**
By: The Family

Mon., Aug 17
7:00 AM **Florence Ceccarini, 7th Anniversary**
By: Her Family

Tues., Aug 18
7:00 AM **The People of the Catholic Parishes of Millbury**

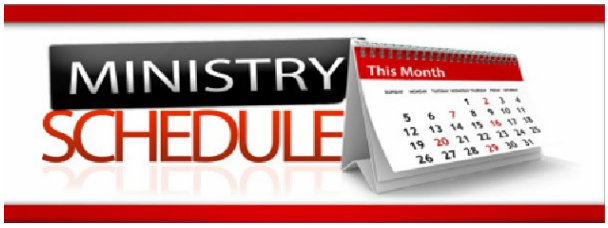
Wed., Aug 19
7:00 AM **Jeri I. Anderson**
By: The Ducharme Family

Thurs. Aug 20
7:00 AM **All Souls**

Sat., August. 22
4:00 PM **The Geneva Family**
By: Jim and Joanne Geneva

Sun., August 23
7:00 AM **Irene Dolegiewicz**
By: The Family
9:00 AM **The Henri Thibault Family**
By: Aline Bordeau
11:00 AM **Catherine Bannon**
By: Janice Despres

In the charity of your prayers, please remember the soul of **Anita Gemme** who has gone home to God. May they rest in Christ's eternal light and peace.



Saturday, Aug 15, 4 PM at St. Brigid

AS: H Prue, T Yaz
L: K. Levitre
EM: K. Buron, R. Eckland

Sunday, Aug 16, 7:00 AM at St. Brigid

AS: J. Mazeika
L: T. Mattus
EM: M. & B. Blunt

Sunday, Aug 16, 9:00 AM at Assumption

AS: D. & H. Dorsey
L: M. Gabriau
EM: T. Tronerud, M. Sprino

Sunday, Aug 16, 11:00 AM at St. Brigid

AS: T. & F. Jakubiak
L: M. Sampson
EM: P. & J. Prince

Scripture for the week of August 16, 2020

16 SUN Is 56:1, 6-7/Rom 11:13-15, 29-32/Mt 15:21-28
17 Mon Ez 24:15-24/Mt 19:16-22
18 Tue Ez 28:1-10/Mt 19:23-30
19 Wed Ez 34:1-11/Mt 20:1-16
20 Thu Ez 36:23-28/Mt 22:1-14
21 Fri Ez 37:1-14/Mt 22:34-40
22 Sat Ez 43:1-7ab/Mt 23:1-12

Sanctuary Candles Burning August 15-21

in Loving Memory of

St. Brigid

Matthew Hartline
7th Anniversary
Requested by: His Parents

Edward Kofton
Requested by: a Friend

In Loving Memory

John & Julia Anger
Lee Aubin
Maryann Auger
Jeanne Augustine
Larry F. Army
Gregory Baker
Albina Bartkus
Edward Bartkus
Arthur G. Boucher
Natalie Bourdeau
Patricia Bourdeau
Sylvio E. Bourdeau
F. Joseph and Mary Brady
Joseph & Rose Cataldo
Frank Cammuso
Philip Chabot, Sr.
Albert and Helen Collette
Pat and Tiff Correia
Donna "Gain" Cournoyer
Karen A. Courville
Roland O. Couture
Arthur "Archie" Cronin
Gerald & Peggy Croteau
George A. D'Auteuil, Jr.
George A. D'Auteuil, Sr.

Kathleen M. DeCillis
Raymond DeRouin
Armand Desorcy
Joseph Dunn
Timothy P. Eckland
Jonathan Favreau
Lois M. Fisher
Gabrielle G. Gaboriault
Joe & Jean Gagliardi
William Gain, Jr.
Bernice Gaudere
Reggie Gauthier
Ruth Gonsorcik
Daniel Guadagnoli
John & Irene Guyan
Robert James (Sam) Guyan
Betty A. Hamilton
Derek Hamilton
Patricia Hamilton
Robert J. Hamilton
Matthew Hartline
John Huchowski
Paul J. Jandron
Joanne Juskavitch
Joseph V. Kane
Claire Kobel

Richard Kroll
Michael P. Krumsiek
Robert P. LaCrosse, Sr.
Lillian Langevin
Tan Le
Noe R. LeBeau, Sr.
Edward L. Lemoine
Kevin Lemoine
Rita Lemoine
Lorraine Letendre
Mark Lizotte
William and Irene Louis
Leo & Jane Metivier
Kenneth Michalak
Mary B. Mrozinski
Lorraine Mooney
Ann Mulcahy
Daniel R. Mulcahy, Sr.
Joseph Noonan
Albert Nikosey
Charles F. O'Connor, Jr.
John P. & Bridget O'Malley
Richard P. Raymond
Virginia Richnick
Stephen Rodwill
Elaine Roy

Darlene Russell
Dorothy Russell
Marshall Russell
Michael W. Russell
William Russell
Albert & June Russo
Bob & Rita Shea
Gino Silveri
Lucien Sirard
Maureen L. Stacy
C. Richard Stockhaus
Joseph F. Stockwell
James Tabor
Neal R. Thomas
Connor Tronerud
Chester Urban
Robert E. Vaillancourt
Nancy Vaillancourt
Lucille Vecchione
William T. Walsh
Margaret Wendt
Dolores White
Ronald Woodward
Duane & Dolores Wunn
Frank J. Yaz

May They Rest in Peace

Would you like to remember a loved one in our Remembrance section? The cost of enrollment will be a $50 donation for the year. Please contact the office (508) 865-6624 to enroll your loved one(s).

This Week

SATURDAY ~ AUGUST 15
No Events

SUNDAY ~ AUGUST 16
SVDP @ CPO 10:00 AM
SLAA @ CPO 7:30 PM

MONDAY ~ AUGUST 17
AA @ SBH 7 PM
GA @ OLAH 8-9:30 PM

TUESDAY ~ AUGUST 18
OA @ SBH 6:30-8 PM

WEDNESDAY ~ AUGUST 19
PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY
SBH @ 7:00PM

THURSDAY ~ AUGUST 20
Rosary @ CPO 6 PM

FRIDAY ~ AUGUST 21
No Events

SATURDAY ~ AUGUST 22
No Events

SUNDAY ~ AUGUST 23

KEY TO LOCATIONS

SBC=St. Brigid Church
SBH=St. Brigid Hall
CPO=Catholic Parish Offices
LAC=Assumption Church
LAH=Assumption Hall
LAS=Assumption School

Society of St. Vincent de Paul

Diocese of Worcester
Catholic Parishes of Millbury
Phone: 774-262-5506

MONTHLY MEETINGS
3rd Sunday - 10:00 AM
The Offices of the
Catholic Parishes of Millbury
New Members Welcome!

PARISH FOOD COLLECTION

Monthly: 1st Weekend
Food Bins are located in the Main Entrance of the Church

All food donations must be dropped off on food drive dates and placed in the large blue bins only, no exceptions. NO Perishables, NO Cleanouts.

FOOD DISTRIBUTION

Monthly: 1st Weekend - 12:15 PM
St. Brigid Church Hall

FOOD PANTRY NEEDS LIST

THE PANTRY IS IN NEED OF:
Oatmeal, Pancake Mix, Pancake Syrup,
Paper Goods, Snacks

Please No Perishable, Expired Dates, or Pet Food.

PRAY THE ROSARY

Every Thursday evening at
6:00PM at the parish offices.
Led by Deacon Ron
All are welcome!

We Believe In The Power Of Prayer

MINISTRY OF PRAYER
Prayer Line 508-865-5373
If you or someone you know is in need of prayer, call the confidential prayer line listed above.

Live Stream Mass Information

We will continue to live stream the 9 AM Sunday Mass weekly on Facebook Live until further notice. Visit www.facebook.com/catholicmillbury for the live link or to view later.

Tune in to Millbury Public Access TV for rebroadcast of the Saturday 4:00 Vigil Mass which can be found at Charter Channel 194 and Verizon Channel 28. You can view the Mass Sundays at 9AM, Monday at 2 PM, Tuesday at 6 PM and Friday at 2 PM.

Visit stbrigidparish.org for links to our Facebook page.
See page 10 for new Mass guidelines.

STEWARDSHIP

Catholic Parishes of Millbury
Income
Weekend of July 25 & 26, 2020

Regular Weekly Collection	$2,836.00
Ordinary Collection Monthly	$1,355.00
Electronic Giving (N/A)	$0.00
Total Regular Weekly Collection	**$4,191.00**
Other Parish Income:	
Debt *(incl. online when appl.)*	$264.00
Specialty Ministries *(incl. online when appl.)*	$285.00
Utilities *(incl. online when applicable)*	$370.00
SVDP *(incl. online when applicable)*	$0.00
Donation	$5.00
Hall Rental	$118.00
Mass Stipends	$130.00
Breaking Bread 2021	$318.00
Catholic Relief Services	$105.50
Total Other Income	**$1,595.50**
Total Income	**$6,212.50**

Catholic Parishes of Millbury
Cash Flow
July 21-July 27, 2020

Payroll	$3,586.77
PayChex, Inc. *(Payroll Processing Fees)*	$82.40
Payroll Taxes	$1,005.05
Credit Card (*Office Supplies*)	$185.86
Laurence Candle (*Altar*)	$45.10
RC Bishop of Worcester (*Dental*)	$43.38
National Grid (*Electric*)	$547.42
St. Vincent de Paul	$83.00
Toshiba (*Office Printer*)	$257.15
Old Debt	$2,202.00
Colonial Life (Insurance)	$353.91
Special Ministries	$100.00
Aquarion *(Water)*	$75.00
General Insurance	$388.00
Fr. Dan *(Household/Stipends)*	$505.00
Eversource	$47.50
Total Monies Paid	**$9,507.54**

SECOND COLLECTIONS:
August 16—Specialty Ministries
August 23—Debt

Thank You!

Thank you to all who purchased 2021 Breaking Bread Missals. Hopefully we will return to full active participation at Mass in the near future. Announcements will be made via the bulletin, flocknotes when the new missals arrive (October/ November). Distribution will be in the same manner as the old ones.

If you have not yet picked up your 2020 Missal, they are available at Assumption on Sunday morning prior to or following Mass, or at St. Brigid, weekdays from 7-3 or prior to or after Mass on the weekend. Once again, thank you for your support and generosity.

POVERTY IS A PLAGUE AGAINST WHICH HUMANITY MUST FIGHT WITHOUT CEASE.
POPE BENEDICT XVI

Remember in Prayer this Week
Those who serve in our Military:

Marc Winchester Emily Weagle
Patrick Weeks Denzel Parker
Andrew Hafferty

Forms are available at each parish to add names to the Prayer List or call the rectory at 508-865-6624 with your request.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter has gone Virtual!

To support married couples during this time of social distancing, Worldwide Marriage Encounter is sponsoring a virtual marriage experience called **Restore - Rekindle - Renew.** This Enrichment Experience will meet via Zoom for seven sessions on Monday evenings September 14 to October 26 from 7-9:30 PM. For more information or to apply, call Stephen & Michelle O'Leary at 800-710-9963 or visit them at https://wwmema.org/.

2020 Partners in Charity

As of August 2, 2020
Our Lady of the Assumption Parish has exceeded it's Partners goal of $20,000!!

Thank you!

St. Brigid is at 73% of its goal of $60,000 with $15,470 left to go!

SENIOR CENTER NEWS

GRAB N GO MEALS

Lunch meals are available to be picked up daily at the front door at 11:30 A.M. Menu is available on www.townofmillbury.org or the Millbury Senior Center Facebook page. A 48 hour reservation is required. For information or reservations call us at 508-865-9154

EXERCISE IN THE GARDEN

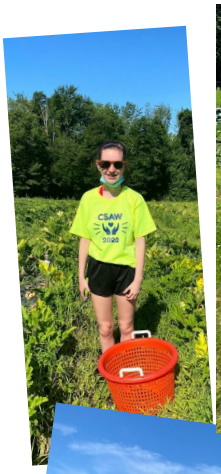
The center is closed at this time, but all are welcome to continue light exercise in the garden on Mondays and Fridays 9:30 - 10:15 A.M. Weather permitting & social distancing is a must!

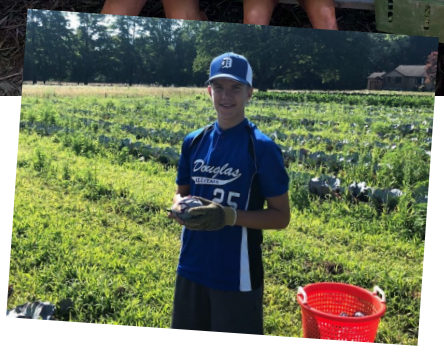
The Millbury Senior Center is closed to the Public, but the Food Pantry at the Center is available from 9am to 1pm Monday-Friday by calling 508-865-9247 for an appointment. The pantry is fully stocked at this time. Tell us what you need and you can pick it up or we will deliver it. We are here to answer any questions you may have and are available for transportation to Doctors appointments or if you need to go to the drug store for your prescriptions, we will take you there. If you don't have a mask, we will give you one. If you are in need of a home-delivered meal, call us and we will set you up to get one delivered to you. Keep safe and remember to wear a mask if you go out and to wash your hands frequently.

Youth & Family Faith Formation

CSAW COVID STYLE

Last Tuesday and Wednesday 30 teens and adult leaders from our community volunteered at Community Harvest Project in Grafton for a VERY scaled down CSAW experience. The group spent a few hours at the farm each day harvesting produce which is then is distributed via the Worcester County Food Bank to food pantries and soup kitchens throughout the greater Worcester area. Wednesday night all participants relaxed under the stars for a socially distant outdoor movie night and a visit from Jerry's Soft Serve ice cream truck!





Assumption School

Millbury, MA

A legacy of learning...a history with heart

Assumption School
17 Grove Street, Millbury, MA

Conveniently located near the Mass Pike, Rte. 146 & Rte. 20

Now Enrolling!
PreK-8th Grade

Formation of the Whole Child

Academic Excellence

Integrity

Tradition

Honor

We welcome children of all faiths, races, and ethnic backgrounds. Accredited by the National Association of Private Schools. For more information, or to schedule a tour, contact the school office at 508-865-5404 or www.assumptionschoolmillbury.org. Check us out on Facebook!

FAITH FACTS

THE APOSTLES: PHILIP

The apostles left the Holy Land about twelve years after the Resurrection.

Unfortunately, we do not have reliable details about where Philip went. It seems that he probably preached in an area called Galatia, which was in what we know call Turkey. (It is the white area on the map.)

Early Christian traditions say that he was martyred in a town called Hierapolis at the age of 87.

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If you or someone you know has been sexually abused by a priest, religious, or lay person working for the Church, and you need a place to talk about your feelings of betrayal or hurt by the Church, call Judith Audette
Office for Healing and Prevention, (508) 929-4363.
A 24-hour-a-day confidential voicemail is available.

flocknote

Flocknote is our parish communication tool we have to help keep parishioners informed and up-to-date on parish life, announcements, weather cancelations, etc. It is especially useful now to learn about how COVID-19 closings and reopenings are adjusting our parish scheduled activities. You can receive text message and/or email notifications. Visit our Flocknote page to sign up:

millburycatholic.flocknote.com

We ask all Servers, EM'S, and Lectors to help after Mass to wipe down the pews. Thank you in advance and we can't wait to see everyone again.

Guidelines for Returning to Mass

Weekend Mass Schedule now through September

Saint Brigid: Saturday 4:00PM; Sunday 7:00AM & 11:00AM
Our Lady of the Assumption: Sunday 9:00AM

While we return to celebrate Mass during this current reopening phase, here are some guidelines we ask that you observe at both churches:

ENTER/EXIT: Use the front doors only at both churches for entry and exit. Only in an emergency, should the nearest safe exit be used.

ACCESSIBILITY Anyone needing the accessible elevette at Assumption Church will still be able to do so via the rear hall door.

COVER UP: Masks must be worn at all times in the church except when it is time to receive Holy Communion.

SEATING: Every other pew has been taped-off closed for social distancing. In each open pew we have marked off, with stickers or tape, six feet of spacing as a point of reference. Families/Households sitting together do not need to safe distance.

WALK THIS WAY: All aisles are marked with arrows on the floor to allow for safe flow of traffic during Communion.

COMMUNION: Only the Body of Christ will be offered for the foreseeable future. Please practice six feet of social distancing at all times during communion.

SIGN OF PEACE: Please use a non-contact sign of peace with a friendly wave to those around you.

PROCESSIONS: The priest, deacon and ministers will not process via the center aisle before Mass.

SANITIZE: While we will have some hand sanitizer pump bottles accessible in both churches, we encourage all to bring their own personal size supply to Mass if possible.